The Kenneth J Button Prize

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The Kenneth J Button Prize is awarded annually at the International Conference on Infrared, Millimeter and Terahertz Waves in recognition of outstanding contributions to the Science of Infrared, Millimeter, and Terahertz Waves. The Prize is named after the founder of the Conference Series, and it consists of a bronze medal, a certificate and a cash prize of $3000. At each annual meeting of the Conference, the Kenneth J Button Prize Committee will meet to consider the nominations that have been submitted and will elect the recipient of the Medal and Prize for the following year. The presentation will be made at the following annual meeting of the Conference and the recipient will normally be invited to give a plenary lecture at that meeting.

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Any scientist active in the field of the Conference may make a nomination for the Prize. To make a nomination, the information listed below should be sent by e-mail, under the heading

NOMINATION FOR THE KENNETH J BUTTON PRIZE, to

Dr Peter H Siegel, California Institute of Technology, at phs@caltech.edu

THE CLOSING DATE FOR NOMINATIONS for the Prize will be April 1st of the year preceding the vote.

FORM OF NOMINATION

1. The Proposer's name, title, full address, and e-mail address.

2. The Nominee's full name, title, present position, address, and e-mail address.

3. A curriculum vitae for the nominee (a full publication list is not required, see Item 6 below).

4. A list of all qualifications and honors.

5. A statement of up to 500 words in support of the nomination in English (the language of the Conference), indicating the contributions to the subject made by the nominee and the impact of those contributions on the development of the subject.

6. A list of up to ten publications by the nominee.

7. The names, titles, mailing addresses and e-mail addresses of two people of standing in the subject (i.e. referees) who may be consulted about the nomination.

8. Citation index for relevant papers if you feel this is appropriate.